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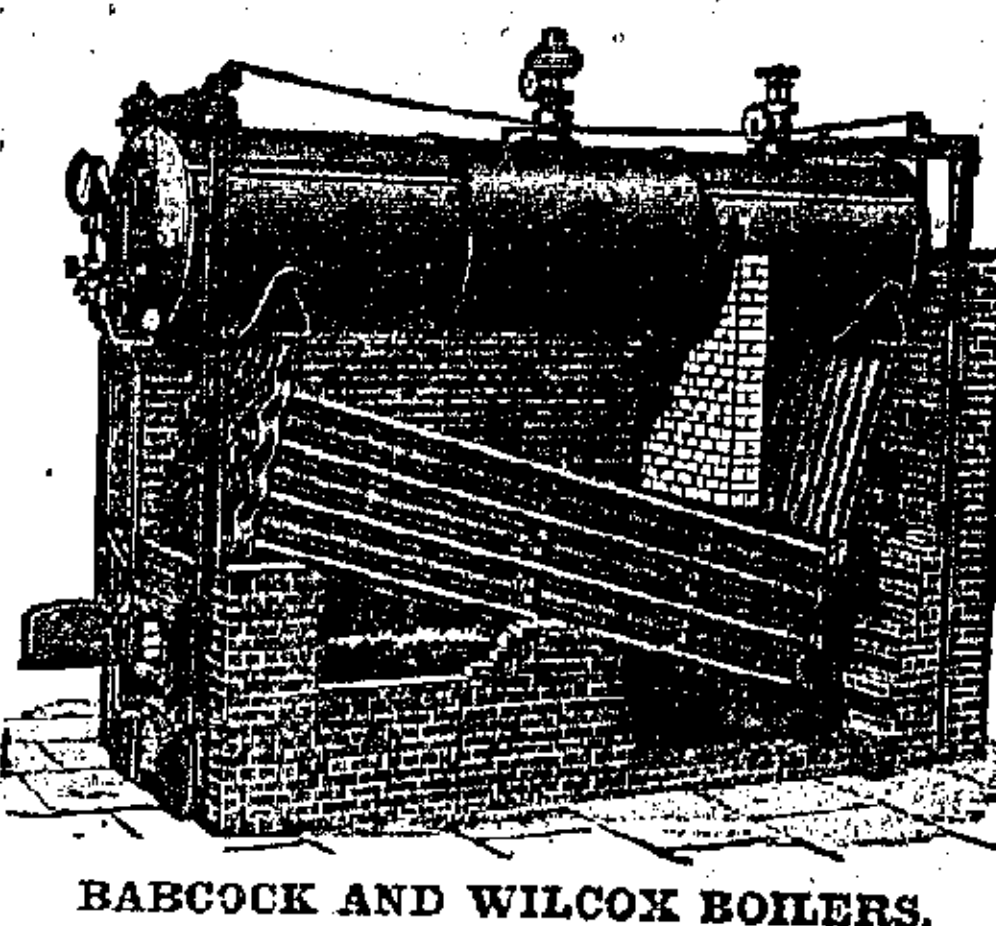
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THE SIXTY-FIRST ANNUAL MEET-  
ING OF THE MEDICAL MISSION-  
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above GODOWNS. All applications for  
Storage of Goods should be made to us.  
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Hongkong, January 4, 1900. 37

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Sixty-Seventh Ordinary Half-Yearly  
MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in this Com-  
pany will be held at the Office  
of the Company, No. 15, Bank Building,  
Queen's Road Central, on THURSDAY,  
the 1st February, at 3 p.m., for the  
purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors,  
together with a Statement of Accounts,  
declaring a Dividend and electing Auditors.  
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-  
pany will be CLOSED from the 10th January  
to the 1st February, both days inclusive.  
By Order of the Board of Directors,  
T. ARNOLD,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, January 16, 1900. 117

CHINA PROVIDENT LOAN AND  
MORTGAGE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EX-  
TRAORDINARY GENERAL  
MEETING of the China Provident Loan  
and Mortgage Company will be held at the  
Office of the Company, No. 9, Praya Cen-  
tral, on TUESDAY, the 23rd of January,  
Instant, at 10 o'clock, when the subjoined  
Resolutions will be proposed:  
Should the Resolutions be passed by the  
required majority, they will be submitted  
for confirmation as Special Resolutions at a  
Second Extraordinary General Meeting,  
which will be subsequently convened.

RESOLUTIONS:  
That the Capital of the Company be in-  
creased to \$2,000,000 by the creation  
and issue of 50,000 New Shares of  
\$20 each.  
That the commission of the General  
Managers be reduced to 5 per cent.  
and that the figure '5' in the sixth  
paragraph of Article XL of the  
Articles of Association of the Com-  
pany be struck out and the figure '5'  
substituted therefor.

SHIFWAN, TOMES & Co.,  
General Managers.  
Hongkong, January 16, 1900. 115

THE KOWLOON LAND AND BUILD-  
ING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the  
Eleventh Ordinary MEETING of  
SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will  
be held at the Company's Office, Victoria  
Buildings, on TUESDAY, the 6th February,  
1900, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving  
the Report of the Directors, together with  
Statement of Accounts for the year ending  
31st December, 1899.

The REGISTER of SHARES of the  
Company will be CLOSED from SATUR-  
DAY, the 27th January, to TUESDAY,  
the 6th February (both days inclusive),  
during which period no transfer of Shares  
can be registered.  
By Order of the Board of Directors,  
A. SHELTON HOOPER,  
Secretary to the Hongkong Land  
Investment and Agency Coy., Ltd.,  
Land and Building Company, Ltd.  
Hongkong, January 10, 1900. 118

HONGKONG PHILHARMONIC  
SOCIETY.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING  
of the above Society will take place  
at 4.45 p.m. on FRIDAY, the 26th Inst.,  
at the City Hall.  
A. H. BOTTENHEIM,  
Acting Hon. Sec. Hongkong  
Philharmonic Society.  
Hongkong, January 17, 1900. 121

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